

# USPS Marketing Opportunities

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# 1. Mobile Barcode Promotion – July/August

- 2. PRC Approved on August 15<sup>th</sup>
  - Change the weight increment in Reply Rides Free to 2 oz.;

i.e., customers may mail up to 2 oz. at the 1 oz. price.



## Mobile Barcode Promotion

# Participation Through August 12

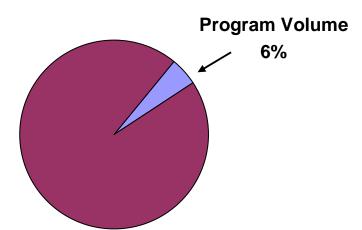
**Total Customers** 

3,344

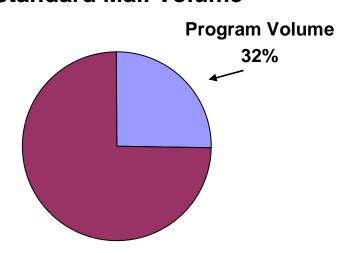
**Total Mailings** 

46,647

#### **First-Class Mail Presort Volume**



### **Standard Mail Volume**

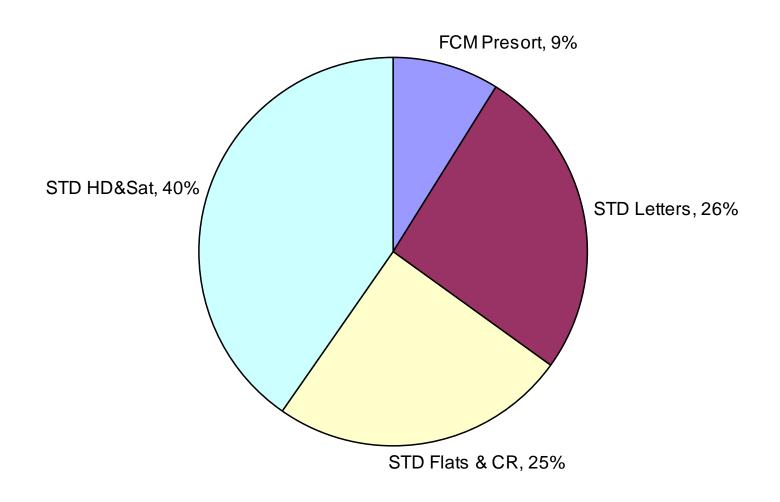


FCM Promotional Volume = 305 M

**Standard Mail Promotional Volume = 3,131 M** 



# Mobile Barcode Promotion Volume





# The New USPS.com Platform

Joe Adams





# Agenda

- Why usps.com is Changing
- Website Demo
- Next Releases This Fall



### Traditional Post Office vs. Alternative Channels

Cost Per Dollar 23¢

Mon-Fri 9am – 5pm Limited weekends



Traditional Retail is the most costly channel of service

Customers choose convenience and easy access

Customer choice will create the impetus to reconfigure retail network

Online



**Partner** 

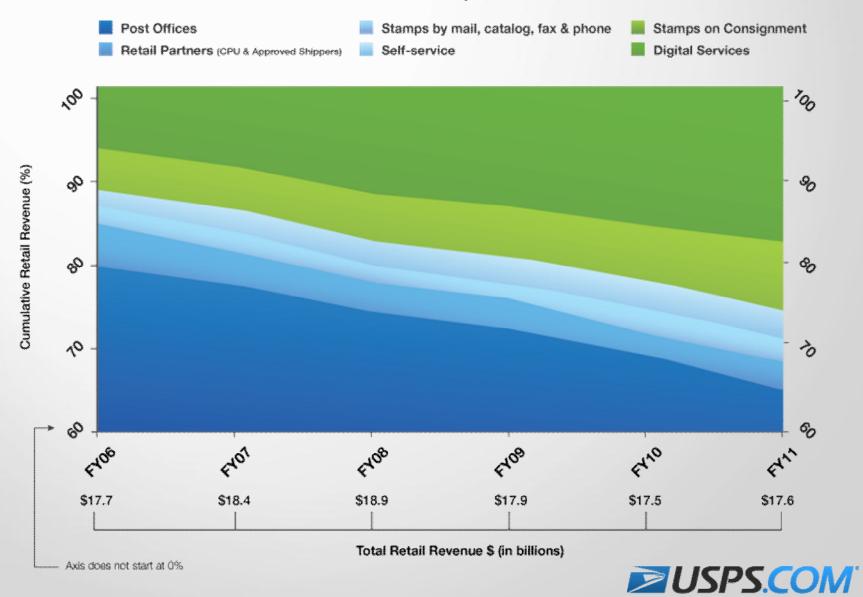


Self Service



### Retail Revenue

#### Customer Post Office visits down 18% over last 3 years





## eCommerce

## Selected Leading e-Retailers

Ranking	Sales in \$M	% Total Sales	Company Name
2	\$10,000	42%	Staples
11	\$2,500	5%	Best Buy
22	<b>\$1 330</b>	2%	Target
	\$700mm	1%	USPS
39	<b>\$5/4</b>	16%	Neiman Marcus
43	\$550	1%	
			Home Depot
78	\$260	1%	Nike

Source: Internet Retailer Top 500 List





# Why Change USPS.com?

- Improve experience for households & small businesses
  - Simple... Consistent...always available
- Grow Revenue
  - Introduce new services
  - Preferred
- Reduce costs
- Update web technology
  - re-usable...standards...efficient

"Keep up with evolving needs of customers"





### **Website Relaunch Phases**

- 1. Introduce New Website July 25<sup>th.</sup>
  - "Do Business" versus "Find Corporate information"
  - Infrastructure improvements
- 2. Add New & Improved Apps/Features Fall 2011
- 3. Deploy New eCommerce Infrastructure Fall 2011
  - Unified experience for customers:
    - common account history, address book, etc
  - Click-N-Ship Redesign Jan 2012
  - New products/services integrated into platform







## The New usps.com

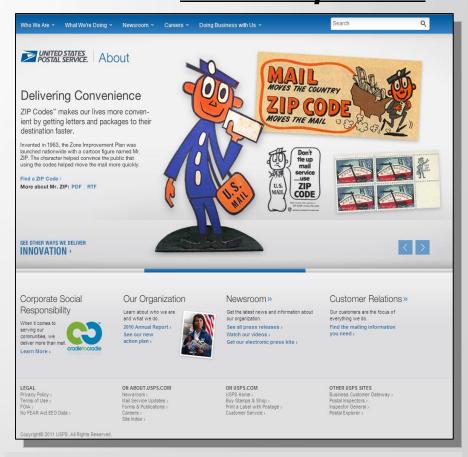


### **eCommerce Site**

Easier to do Business

Proprietary Property of the United States Postal Service

### The New about.usps.com

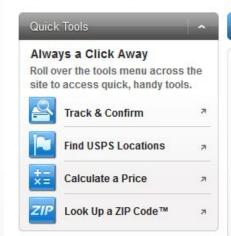


# Corporate Information Site Easier to Find Information

Business Solutions ~



Search USPS.com or Track Packages





#### What you need:

- · A standard printer
- · Regular paper
- · An envelope or package

#### What to do:

- 1 Choose a shipping service.
- Add extra services.
- 3 Print the label.
- Attach it to your mail.



### Introducing the New USPS.com®

Send Mail -

Ship a Package ~

Making it easier to ship and manage your mail digitally.

- · New, simpler navigation
- · Quicker access to the tools you use most
- · A new site dedicated to USPS<sup>®</sup> news and information

Watch the Video



Shop ~





Any Weight. Same Rate. Get free Flat Rate boxes >

Manage Your Mail 💌



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### Ship a Package

#### Print a Label with Postage

Schedule a Pickup

Order Free Boxes

**Buy Shipping Supplies** 

Calculate a Price

Look Up a ZIP Code™

Get help to ...

Add Insurance & Extra Services

Compare Services & Prices

Prepare Domestic Shipments

**Prepare International Shipments** 

File an Insurance Claim

# Ship a Package

At the U.S. Postal Service®, we offer easy and convenient ways for you to ship packages without leaving your home or office.

Send Mail ~

Manage Your Mail

#### Use our online tools to:

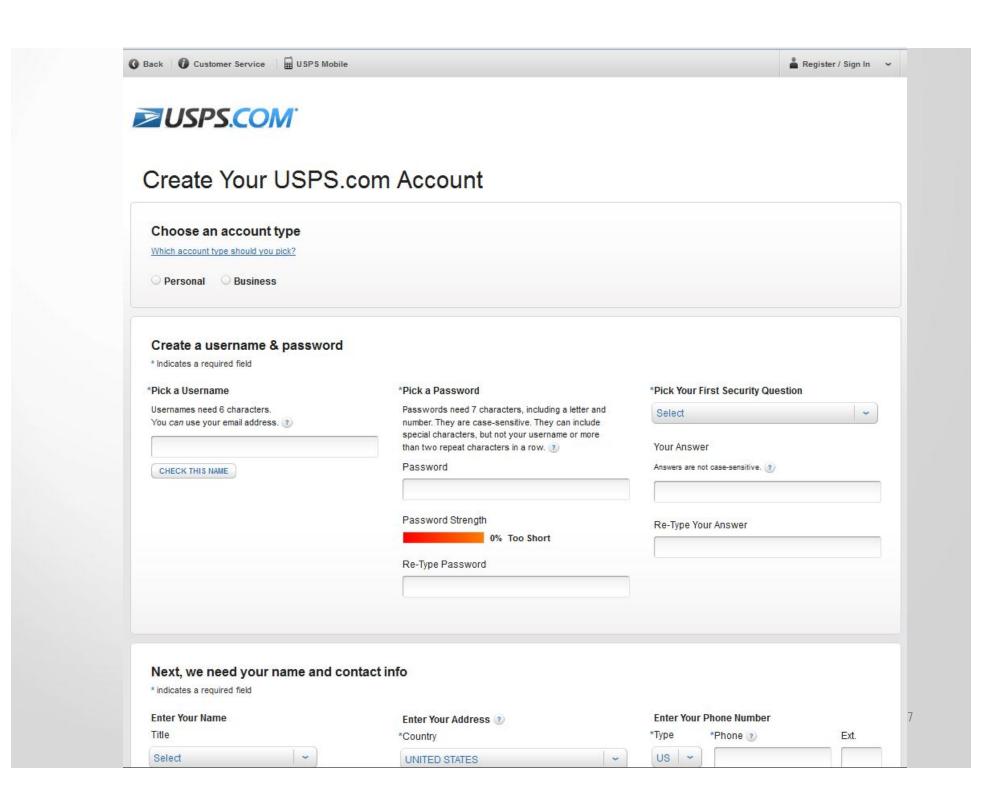
Ship a Package ~

- Order free Priority Mail Flat Rate Boxes and other free supplies.
- Calculate a price with our easy and quick calculator.
- Print a label with postage from your computer using a standard printer.
- Schedule a pickup online and have your carrier pick up your package.

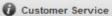
#### Ship Now



Shop ~









Your Account:

Your Profile

Stored Payment Info

**USPS** Applications

**Transaction History** (coming soon)

### Hi, Blaise

Review your information and make changes if you need to. You'll also be able to change your password.

Your Name Mr Blaise Pascal

USPS Mobile

Company Name Mystic Hexagram

Company Address 350 5TH AVE NEW YORK, NY 10118-0110 UNITED STATES

Phone Numbers

Phone: 2125551212

**Email Address** Blaise@gmail.com

Communication Preferences You've elected to receive information...

✓ From USPS

From USPS Partners

Edit Your Profile

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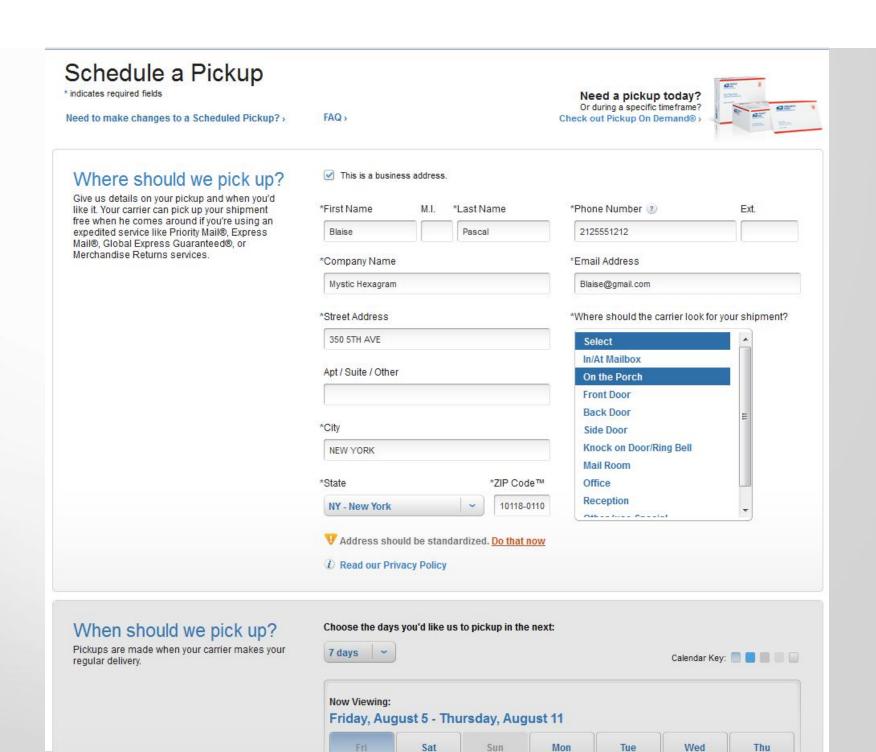
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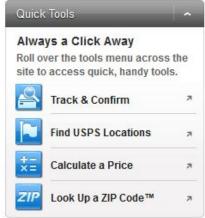




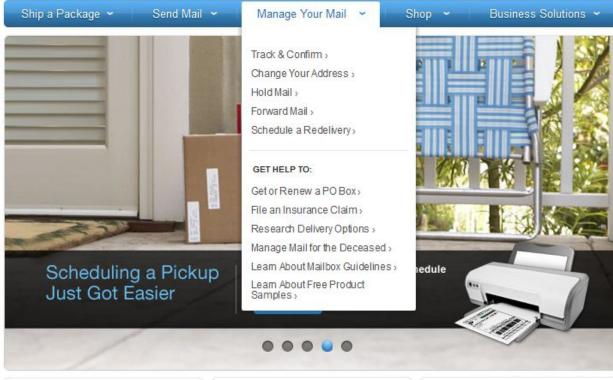


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**Get Started** 



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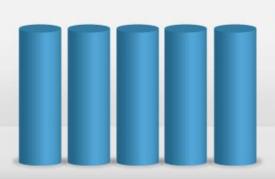


### The Foundation for Our Future

In 2010, the Postal Service set forth an aggressive and balanced vision that put in place significant changes to our business model. These changes will ensure our future viability and a return to profitability.

The United States Postal Service 2010 Annual Report features financial highlights and an in-depth analysis of our work to deliver unparalleled service for generations to come.

Read the 2010 Annual Report > Read the Postal Facts 2010 >



Cutting costs.

















#### Corporate Social Responsibility

When it comes to serving our communities, we deliver more than mail. Learn More >



#### Our Organization

Learn about who we are and what we do.

2010 Annual Report >



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### New & Improved Apps/Features

- Introduce Spanish and Chinese translations for all new pages
  - Develop official USPS glossaries
- Introduce Paypal
  - Available in central payment engine; CNS first to enable it
- Hold Mail Redesign
  - Simple, transaction record, able to modify/cancel
- Redelivery Redesign
  - Simple, transaction record, able to modify/cancel
- PO Locator Improvements
  - In-house vs 3<sup>rd</sup> party solution
  - Mapping available for other uses





### Upcoming Changes. Fall '11 and Beyond

# New Infrastructure and New Apps

### Launch New eCommerce platform

- Common tools shared by all apps
  - One account history, one address book, etc.
- Optimize of flows to increase conversion
- "Personas" ...Personalized campaigns
- Improved measurements

### New/updated apps

- New Premium Forwarding Service
- New Postal Store
- New Personalized Stamp Envelopes
- New Click N' Ship

### Integrate/build new applications

- USPS products
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party





# Platform for Growth

Ship a Package	Send Mail -	Manage Your Mail 👻	Shop - B	usiness Solutions
New CNS	• EDDM	<ul> <li>Digital Mail</li> </ul>	• 3 <sup>rd</sup> Party fulfilled	<ul> <li>DM Hub</li> </ul>
Returns	•DM Hub	• Future mail	merchandise	• EDDM
Sales lead	Other Hybrid  S Afiliates:	management features	<ul><li>Expanded skus</li></ul>	<ul><li>CNS For Business</li></ul>
<b>Business Solutions</b>	<ul> <li>Click2Mail</li> <li>PostCard mania</li> <li>Card Store</li> </ul>	• etc	<ul><li>New categories</li></ul>	<ul><li>API with Postage complete shipping</li></ul>
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### USPS® Mobile Solutions

The United States Postal Service® offers ways to manage your mail digitally using our USPS Mobile solutions.

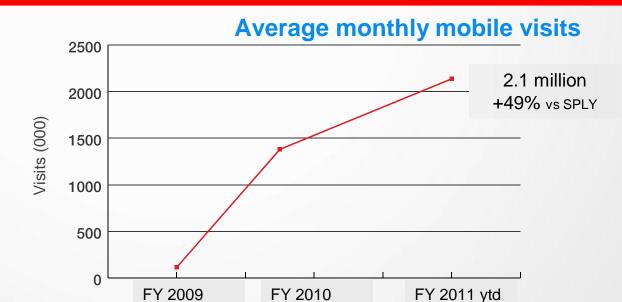
# Get the app, now.

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# Growth in Mobile Adoption





#### Releases

Launched first USPS mobile site Sept '09

Dec '09 Launched first iPhone app

Added rates to iPhone app Dec '10

**Introduced first Android app** March '11

**Sep '11 Introduce first Blackberry app** 



### **Smartphone Apps**

- ✓ Find USPS locations
- √ Look Up a ZIP Code
- ✓ Track & Confirm
- √ Calculate a Price

### **USPS** Mobile™ Website

- ✓ Sept, 2009 first mobile site
- √ visits immediately exceed expectations





### **Future**

- Login: "Access my account"
- Scan Bar Code for tracking
- Transactions
  - Hold Mail
  - Other traditional Postal services
- New Services





# Vision: Easy to Send. Easy to Manage. Connect to Carrier









### Easy to send:

- Order boxes and supplies
- Pay postage
- Print labels
- Order carrier pickup
- Find drop off location
- Lookup zip code
- Track package
- etc

#### **eCommerce**

- Returns
- WebTools API suite, including Label with Postage API
- Click N' Ship for Business
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party solution integration
- 3<sup>rd</sup> party merchandise sales

### Manage Incoming Mail:

- Hold mail
- Forward mail
- Change address
- Schedule delivery
- ...and
- Hybrid mail
- Digital mail
- etc

Digital Future...Secure, protected connection between every address & person





## **THANK YOU**







# Every Door Direct Mail Update

**Dave Mastervich** 

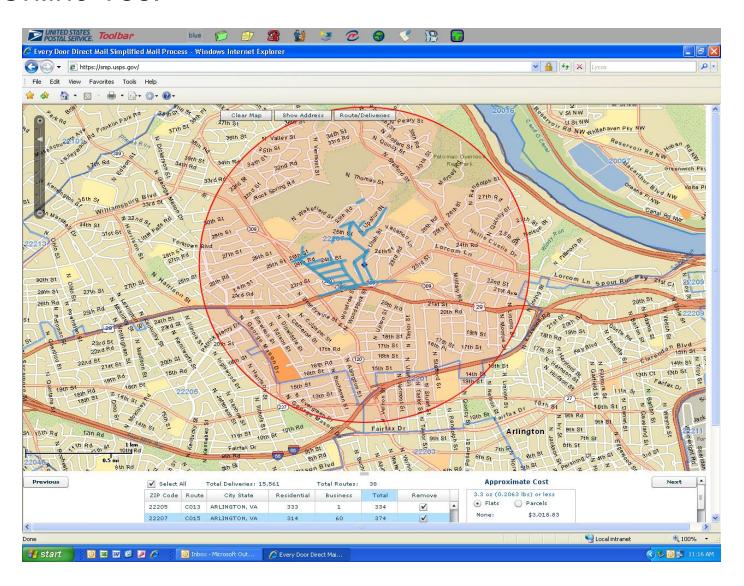


- Simplified Address Format for Saturation Mail
- Simplified Address Rural Routes
- Simplified Address City Routes (Flats Only)
- Name Changed January 2011 to:

Every Door Direct Mail (EDDM)



### **SMP Online Tool**





### 45,057+ Visits Per Month to SMP Online Tool

# Decision Tree Designed to Direct Customers to EDDM Retail or EDDM Saturation Mail

Welcome to the Every Door Direct Mail (EDDM) Simplified Mailing Process. This application is designed to assist users in utilizing the USPS® Delivery Statistics to determine the number of mailpieces within a selected radius for preparing saturation mailings.

Start the EDDM process by selecting the product you wish to use for processing your mailing.



**EDDM Retail** - Saturation mailings are taken to the local Post Office retail unit for processing. Requirements:

- Customer must have a USPS business Customer Registration Identification (CRID)
- Mailing includes standard mail flats only
- Each mailpiece must be equal to or less than 3.3 ounces
- Each mailpiece must display special indicia or permit imprint
- Each retail unit submission must include a minimum of 200 mailpieces; but not exceed 5,000 mailpieces per day
- Mailing must be accompanied by PS Form 3587-1, which includes delivery statistics documentation
- Postage rate of 14.2¢ charged for each mailpiece
- Postage is paid in full at the retail unit

Do you have a Customer Registration Identification provided by USPS?

O Yes

O No



EDDM - Saturation mailings are prepared for processing at a Business Mail Entry Unit (BMEU). Requirements:

- Customer must have an active USPS Standard mail permit number <u>Click here</u> for more information
- · Mailing includes Standard Mail flats or irregular parcels
- Mailing must be accompanied by PS Form 3602R; in addition to Delivery Statistics File documentation
- Mailings entered at the BMEU and dropped at local Post Office must be accompanied by PS Form 8125
- Postage rates may vary



# **Every Door Direct Mail Retail**

12,097 + Customers Registered on BCG

9,292 EDDM Retail Transactions

98% New Mailer Activity
(Other USPS Product not used in previous 90 days of using EDDM Retail)

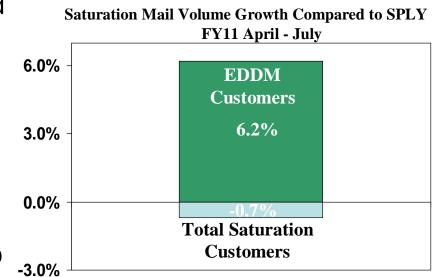
7,122,119 Pieces Total Volume

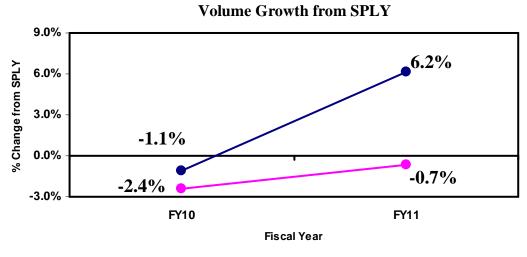
1,849 Pieces Per Mailing = 4 Carrier Routes



# Every Door Direct Mail - BMEU Activity

- Total Saturation Mail volume has declined by -0.7% between April and July
- Saturation Mail volume for EDDM Customers has increased by 6.2%
- Total Saturation Mail is currently still experiencing volume decline compared to SPLY
- Since the release of EDDM, there has been Saturation Mail volume growth for EDDM customers







### 2011 Marketing Initiatives

- Grow Your Business Day Promotions
  - Over 2,000 Events
- Direct Mail to Large Businesses
  - 40,000 piece mailing
- Direct Mail to Small Businesses
  - 510,000 piece mailing Vertical Market
- Webinars and Business Development Vertical Marketing
  - Grocers Restaurants
  - Realtors Auto Dealers / Parts



# Direct Mail Hub & Mobile Barcode Program Update

Tom Foti





Direct Mail Hub is a destination point designed to engage small business customers with the world of direct mail.



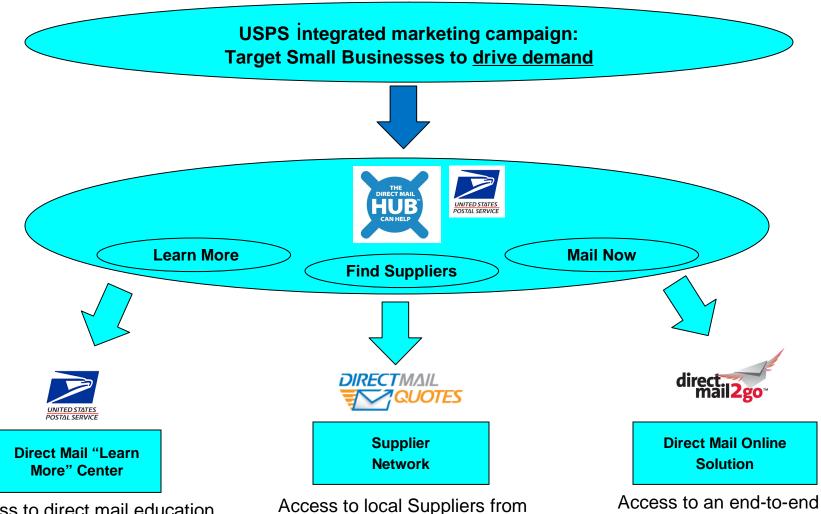


# Effective and Efficient ways to introduce new small business customers to Direct Mail

- Drive demand through an Integrated Marketing Campaign
  - Increase awareness on the benefits and value of Direct Mail
  - Eliminate misconceptions about Direct Mail
  - Provide specific call-to-action
- Offer easy to use tools for developing a Direct Mail Campaign
  - Remove barriers in execution of Direct Mail and provide an on-ramp to direct mail for small businesses
  - Increase usage of mail for marketing purposes



# Pilot Test in Austin and Raleigh



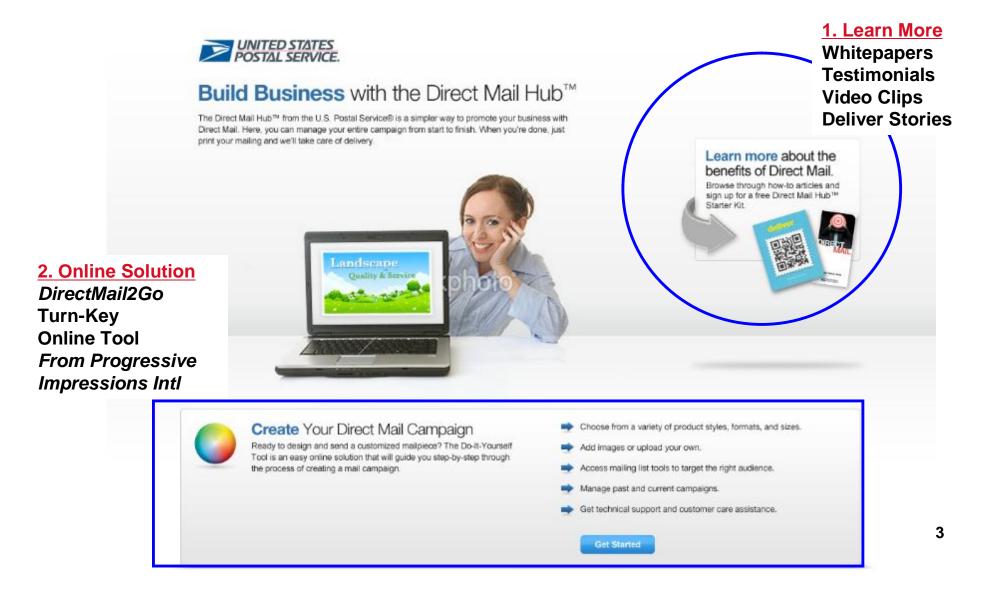
Access to direct mail education and the value it brings in helping businesses grow

Access to local Suppliers from a third party lead management vendor

Access to an end-to-end online solution powered by a 42 third party vendor



# Current Direct Mail Hub Landing Page





### Direct Mail Hub

### In September the Direct Mail Hub Landing Page will feature three pillars





#### Direct Mail Hub™

Building business with direct mail.

The Direct Mail Hub™ from the U.S. Postal Service® is a simpler way to promote your business with direct mail. Here, you can manage your entire campaign from start to finish. When you're done, just print your mailing and we'll take care of delivery.

### 2. Online **Solution** DirectMail2Go Turn-Key Online





### 3. Supplier **Network** Solution **DirectMailQuotes** Find a local mail service provider From Mailers Haven



Direct Mail 101 This complete guide covers everything you'll need to get started with Direct Mail Direct Mail 101

Learn More About the Benefits of Direct Mail Browse through how-to articles and sign up for a free Direct Mail Hub<sup>Tel</sup> Starter Kit.

Get started >

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